

**NOTICE OF FINAL DECISION
TO ISSUE A CORRECTIVE ACTION PERMIT TO
ASHLAND CHEMICAL COMPANY
TND 04 831 9644, TNHW-135**

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation's (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has made a **final decision to issue a hazardous waste management corrective action permit to Ashland Chemical Company** Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee, EPA **Identification Number: TND 04 831 9644**. The permit was issued on February 28, 2008, and shall remain in effect until February 28, 2018, unless continued, revoked and reissued, or terminated under applicable regulations. This action follows a 45-day public comment period, which ended on November 9, 2007. No comments were received from the public during this comment period. However, comments were received from Ashland Chemical and are addressed in the [Response to Comments](#).

The permit (TNHW-135) identifies known solid waste management units (SWMUs) and areas of concern (AOCs) for the Ashland Chemical Facility. Ashland Chemical shall be required to investigate any releases of hazardous waste or hazardous constituents pursuant to this permit, regardless of the time at which waste was placed in a unit, and to take appropriate corrective action for any such releases. In addition to corrective action, under the conditions of this permit, Ashland Chemical will also be required to notify of imminent hazards; and as applicable, comply with the requirements developed under land disposal restrictions and organic air emission standards.

This permit is issued under Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101 et seq., and Tennessee Rule Chapters 1200-1-11, Hazardous Waste Management.

Copies of the permit, including the [Response to Comments](#) , are available for public inspection at the South Branch Public Library, 1929 South Third Street, Memphis, TN (901-946-8518). These materials are also available for public inspection during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, at the TDEC Memphis Environmental Field Office, Public Access Area, 2510 Mt. Moriah Road Suite E-645, Memphis, TN (901-368-7939).

For further information, contact: Mr. Roger Donovan; Corrective Action Section; Division of Solid Waste Management; Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation; 5th Floor, L & C Tower; 401 Church Street; Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone 615-532-0864, fax 615-532-0886 or e-mail roger.donovan@state.tn.us.

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RIGHTS OF APPEAL

The administrative and judicial review of this final permit is pursuant under the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, T.C.A. Sections 4-5-317 and 4-5-222, and the Hazardous Waste Management Act, T.C.A. 68-212-113, and Tennessee Rule 1200-1-11-.07(7)(k).

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